FARAD CONTINUATION SHEET NO.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CRIMINAL APPELLATE SIDE

CRIMINAL APPLICATION NO.642 OF 2005

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Coram : R.S.Mohite,J

Date : 30.01.2006

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1. This is an application for quashing the issue of process under Sections 499 & 500 of IPC. On perusal of the complaint it is seen that the allegation against the present appellant is that under the head of 'Bolywood Views' between 2.00 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. a programme showing a person with beard and a mustache begging near Chandan Cinema, Juhu, Bombay, and displaying the filmy name of the complainant was aired, thus

sending a message that the condition of the one time hero ‘Rakesh Khanna’ was precarious and he was begging on the roads. The complainant whose filmy name was Rakesh Khanna contended that he came to know about such a telecast and lost his mental composure. It was sought to be argued that the story was cross-checked with prominent members of the film industry. These are the aspects which are part of defence if any. Prima facie, there is a case against complainant. Hence, not a fit case for quashing the process. Hence, application is rejected. It is made clear that the observations made in this order will not be used in the trial. Ad-interim stay is vacated.

(R.S.Mohite,J)